

## NO. 46.

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to tell us, with a knowing wink, how he saved by printer's ink.







**From Utah.**  
St. Louis, Nov. 20.—A Salt Lake dispatch says: New and rich gold mines have been discovered on White River, the ore taken out paying from five to seven thousand dollars per ton.

Assays have been made of the ore, yielding from ten to fifteen thousand dollars per ton.

An ore crushing mill is already in operation, and large quantities of the ore are being shipped to Austin for reduction.

**A Righteous Verdict.**

UNION, N. Y., Nov. 20.—The jury in the case of William Henry Carwell, indicted for murdering Abner Elizabeth Sanders, a little girl only eight years and six months old, in the town of Annville, in April last, this afternoon brought in a verdict of guilty. The evidence shows that the murderer first despoiled his little victim and then brutally cut her throat. Judge Morgan will sentence him at 9 o'clock Friday morning.

**What Congress Probably Will Do.**

On Monday, the 7th of December, Congress will assemble. Completely endorsed by the vote of the people, the majority will go earnestly to work.

The election being over, its measures will not be obnoxious to the charge of partisan legislation, nor retarded by the factious opposition of a disappointed minority.

Assuming the responsibility, it will go forward with the method of reconstruction which the people have approved, and adopt some plan for the reduction of the taxes, which they earnestly demand.

It is fair to presume, from their obvious necessity, that the following measures will be considered at an early period of the session.

1. To secure the life, liberty, and property to loyal citizens in the States lately in rebellion, and to maintain the authority of the civil government in those States.

2. The funding of the public debt at a rate of interest not to exceed four or five and a half per cent, by which means from thirty to forty millions of revenue will be saved to the taxpayers annually.

3. The gradual resumption of specie payment, according to the plan of Senator Morton, or one of similar character, which will appreciate our securities and reduce the present ruinous cost of living.

4. More effective means for the detection and prevention of frauds in the management of the public business, and particularly in regard to the internal revenue.

5. The passage of the civil service bill of Mr. Jencks, with perhaps slight modifications.

6. Asserting the right of eminent domain, by granting charters to build railroads for military and post routes through the States adjacent to this capital, to the centres of trade in the different sections of the country.

7. Submitting to the States an amendment to the Constitution establishing impartial suffrage without regard to race or color.

**National Republican.**

A "GRECIAN BEND" AS SEEN IN DOCTOR—The editor of the *Plymouth Rock* in Boston last week, and while passing up Winter Street saw veritable "Grecian bend," which he thus describes:

The frame of figure upon which the architecture was fastened was apparently designed for a woman, though excepting the height, the face, and the ordinary substitute for a bust, there was nothing to indicate the form by which Greek illustrators female beauty and loveliness. The dress worn was of a brown plaid, profusely trimmed with magenta trimming, and this was spread over a something very much the shape of a charcoal maker's "raking-in-bush," which, being inverted, seemed to have been fastened to the back of the person above the hips.

As a counterbalance the figure had in her bosom apparently two halves of a large sized Valparaiso squash, and with a pair of boots some three inches high, and her arms posed so as to keep herself from toppling over, this female caricature was trying to get over the sidewalk, working one side at a time, and pointing the way by her heels, which seemed to drop into the cracks of the sidewalk like the tail of a cat in a vessel's capstan. We elbowed our way through the crowd to get in front of this gradually moving figure, expecting to see her shedding tears of bitter anguish for having such punishment inflicted upon her but instead we found her with a self-satisfied air as is ordinarily worn by shallow-brained women. Who the creature was or what she had done to deserve such a punishment we were unable to learn, any further than this was a "Grecian bend," or a bender.

Cuba.—Despatches from Cuba represent the insurrection there as still quite formidable. Subscriptions were being taken among the merchants of Havana for the purpose of equipping the three-month volunteers so that they might take the field at once. It was reported that several cargoes of arms for the rebels had been landed, and also that a commission had been secretly dispatched to this country for the purpose of eliciting the sympathy of the American Government in behalf of the rebels.

The Swedish Arctic Expedition, according to a letter received by the President of the Royal Geographical Society of Sweden, had reached, at the end of August, 81 degrees 9 seconds latitude, when the steamer was stopped by the fields of ice. A week later the sea became clear, and the exploring steamer, after taking in a supply of coal, started again for the North Pole. The vessel which took out the coal has returned to Sweden, bringing collections of geological, zoological and botanical specimens.

In Colorado the cattle require no care and expense, save that of herding, the whole year round. During the summer months the grass is rich and abundant, and is converted into hay by the mere action of the elements, and remains good during the winter months. The very finest beef cattle that go into the Denver market are those which have been out grazing the whole year, and have never in their lives seen the inside of any shelter.

Cuba has 30,000 foreign whites, 730,000 natives of European extraction, and 100,000 negroes and Chinamen.

**Vote of North Carolina.**  
Below we give the vote of this State by counties. We compare the vote for President with the vote for Governor, believing that is a fairer criterion of parties than the vote for and against a Convention:

| Governor.         |           | President. |           |
|-------------------|-----------|------------|-----------|
| MAJORITY.         | MINORITY. | MAJORITY.  | MINORITY. |
| Alamance, 966     | 1007      | 1102       | 1055      |
| Alexander, 366    | 494       | 851        | 816       |
| Albemarle, 220    | 235       | 1873       | 1072      |
| Anson, 978        | 843       | 1002       | 1050      |
| Ashe, 615         | 619       | 620        | 624       |
| Beaufort, 1300    | 1040      | 1318       | 1227      |
| Bertie, 1280      | 603       | 1817       | 753       |
| Bladen, 220       | 235       | 1873       | 1072      |
| Brunswick, 728    | 781       | 878        | 698       |
| Camden, 1049      | 875       | 1086       | 1090      |
| Carroll, 779      | 635       | 927        | 741       |
| Carteret, 828     | 1062      | 940        | 1111      |
| Catawba, 383      | 517       | 894        | 617       |
| Chatham, 889      | 905       | 884        | 898       |
| Cherokee, 1416    | 1429      | 1935       | 1402      |
| Catawba, 407      | 1067      | 438        | 1131      |
| Davies, 1151      | 1151      | 1765       | 1540      |
| Cherokee, 882     | 256       | 443        | 428       |
| Chowan, 692       | 467       | 692        | 620       |
| Clay, 131         | 207       | 656        | 1017      |
| Cleveland, 677    | 907       | 612        | 992       |
| Columbus, 3389    | 1461      | 3585       | 1493      |
| Craven, 1757      | 1284      | 1896       | 1682      |
| Cumberland, 431   | 888       | 416        | 901       |
| Currituck, 1679   | 821       | 1843       | 836       |
| Dare, 627         | 808       | 627        | 791       |
| Douglas, 961      | 1488      | 1025       | 1083      |
| Edgecombe, 2327   | 1108      | 2757       | 1473      |
| Forsyth, 1102     | 814       | 1263       | 787       |
| Franklin, 1439    | 1226      | 1431       | 1376      |
| Gaston, 800       | 604       | 878        | 674       |
| Gates, 448        | 660       | 452        | 623       |
| Granville, 2818   | 1844      | 3708       | 1248      |
| Greene, 782       | 808       | 780        | 807       |
| Guilford, 1788    | 1479      | 2109       | 1487      |
| Hall, 800         | 1314      | 8410       | 1880      |
| Harris, 909       | 681       | 645        | 739       |
| Haywood, 408      | 408       |            |           |
| Henderson, 871    | 390       | 840        | 881       |
| Hertford, 735     | 881       | 744        | 714       |
| Hoke, 627         | 808       | 627        | 791       |
| Irwin, 841        | 1518      | 958        | 1415      |
| Jackson, 244      | 500       | 230        | 607       |
| Johnston, 1245    | 957       |            |           |
| Jones, 892        | 441       | 892        | 423       |
| Lincoln, 1192     | 688       | 1218       | 688       |
| Lincoln, 841      | 898       | 628        | 735       |
| Macon, 318        | 603       | 318        | 603       |
| Madison, 528      | 806       | 528        | 459       |
| Martin, 843       | 981       |            |           |
| McDowell, 676     | 808       | 740        | 607       |
| Mecklenburg, 1708 | 1918      | 1962       | 2149      |
| Mitchell, 548     | 130       | 519        | 118       |
| Montgomery, 718   | 720       | 737        | 841       |
| Moore, 1007       | 735       | 1018       | 868       |
| New Hanover, 3568 | 2321      | 3968       | 2390      |
| Northampton, 1898 | 808       | 1931       | 1045      |
| Onslow, 408       | 736       | 417        | 859       |
| Orange, 1310      | 1834      | 1438       | 1097      |
| Pasquotank, 808   | 811       | 1047       | 588       |
| Perquimans, 868   | 629       |            |           |
| Person, 881       | 814       | 953        | 1064      |
| Pitt, 1775        | 1947      | 1531       | 1559      |
| Polk, 399         | 98        | 405        | 185       |
| Polk, 1514        | 631       | 1702       | 788       |
| Richmond, 1195    | 682       |            |           |
| Robeson, 1615     | 1252      | 1504       | 1639      |
| Rockingham, 1412  | 1148      | 1463       | 1131      |
| Rowan, 1166       | 1518      | 1333       | 1530      |
| Sampson, 1328     | 1467      | 1279       | 685       |
| Sampson, 1018     | 1168      |            |           |
| Stanley, 898      | 549       |            |           |
| Stokes, 788       | 447       | 783        | 744       |
| Surry, 880        | 596       | 818        | 737       |
| Taunton, 105      | 811       |            |           |
| Taylorsville, 292 | 393       | 195        | 339       |
| Tyrrell, 758      | 719       | 811        | 930       |
| Wake, 3332        | 2348      | 3433       | 2958      |
| Warren, 3219      | 914       | 3308       | 1053      |
| Washington, 795   | 850       | 855        | 345       |
| Watauga, 309      | 804       | 309        | 848       |
| Wayne, 1475       | 1239      | 1421       | 1487      |
| Wilkes, 1429      | 637       |            |           |
| Wilson, 909       | 883       | 893        | 1107      |
| Yadkin, 768       | 726       | 840        | 622       |
| Yancey, 392       | 450       |            |           |
| 92241             |           | 73600      |           |

The great blast at Lime Point, near San Francisco, for which preparations had been going on for some months, was exploded October 24th. The mine was eighty-two feet deep, with chambers one hundred and eighty feet. Twelve tons of gunpowder were used, and 80,000 tons of rock were thrown down, 20,000 of which went into the bay. It was the most completely successful engineering feat ever attempted on the Pacific coast. It is estimated that it will take forty men six months to clear the debris and make ready for the fortifications.

"The new nick-name flung at us is Radicals," I had rather be called a Radical than a rebel, at any time. I am a Radical for right against wrong; for liberty against slavery; for justice against tyranny—a Radical in the sense of the word, and a Radical in the sense of every enemy of my native land. I believe in a Radical government, of the people by the people, for the people, and my sympathies go out toward the Radicals who are trying to initiate our free institutions in Greece, Italy, France, Ireland and Mexico. I wish to see a belt of Republics circle the globe."—Schuyler Colfax.

Up to the time of the fearful coal-miner's strike in England, the coal trade had been no less than 440 lives lost this year. In the British coalfield, 266 by accident, explosion, and the remainder by lack of coal and coal. The last disaster will probably be the last of the kind during the year to over 700. This is a shocking exhibit of shocking deaths. Certainly, there is a loud call upon science and humanity for the discovery of some means for preventing such suffering and loss.

A wealthy lady of Buffalo lost her pocketbook, containing a considerable sum of money. A ragged urchin, of the poorest sort picked it up, and followed the owner several blocks, caught up with her, and restored it. The generous woman tendered the boy an apple! Had she of Buffalo, been in the place of Eve in Paradise, Adam would never have fallen, for Eve would have kept all the apples to herself.

A young girl in Peoria, Ill., recently in exploring her sister's things, came across a package of letters, duly tied up and laid away, being a correspondence which she was carrying on with a young man. He carried the letters down the street and standing on a corner, gave them away, singly, to the passers by!

The man who showed his grit was in the sand paper line. The man who was caught napping is supposed to have been a hatter.

Innocence may be truly said to be the pet lamb that strayed away off, years ago, from the rest of the flock, and hasn't been heard from since.

Gladstone was all talk, but the result is no cider for him.

The Feejee Islands are at present devastated by a terrible war, waged between the natives and the settlers, in which both parties perpetrate the most cruel atrocities. The colonists are driven from their plantations and the buildings burnt. The commander of the British war steamer Challenge destroyed a native village and killed forty-one savages. King Takombau has paid the first installment of the debt due to the United States, amounting to \$12,250, to the U. S. consular at Melbourne.

In one-fourth of a square mile, surrounding St. Paul's Cathedral, London, there are forty churches.

Miss Emily Schenberg, "the most beautiful woman in America," is reported to be engaged to Mr. Butterfield, of Paris, widower.

A foreigner, desiring to remark on the domestic habits of a young lady, said, "Oh, miss, how homely you are."

At a town meeting it was recently voted "that all persons in town, owning dogs, shall be muzzled."

The difference between Eugenie and the Deposed Queen of Spain is, that one is a belle on a throne and the other is a belle off.

Galveston is said to be the healthiest city in the south.

**HYMENIAL.**

Married on the 28th ult., by Joseph Scoggin Esq., Mr. ROBERT H. TAYLOR to Miss SUSAN EARWOOD.

On the 5th inst., by Rev. W. Haynes Mr. SAMUEL KEETER, to Miss LOU LITTLEJOHN, all of this county.

**COMMERCIAL.**

**RUTHERFORDTON MARKET.**

CORRECTED WEEKLY BY JAS. A. MILLER & CO., DEALERS IN

Dry Goods, Groceries, Hardware, &c.

BAOON.....160225

BECK, net.....160225

BUTTER.....160225

CANDLES, standard.....33040

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**NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.**

**Great Distribution by**

the Metropolitan Gift Co.—Cash gift, every ticket permits to publish them, \$1,000—Every Ticket Draws a Prize.

5 Cash Gifts, each.....\$10,000

10 " " " ".....5,000

20 " " " ".....1,000

40 Cash Gifts each.....100

200 " " " ".....10

500 " " " ".....1

1000 " " " ".....1/2

2000 " " " ".....1/4

4000 " " " ".....1/8

8000 " " " ".....1/16

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